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**Via ECF**

The Honorable Katherine Polk Failla  
United States District Judge  
United States District Court  
For the Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square  
New York, New York 10007

**Re: Stevez v. Annaly Capital Management, Inc., Case No. 1:21-cv-06470-KPF**  
**Request for 30-Day Stay**

Dear Judge Failla:

We represent Defendant Annaly Capital Management, Inc. ("Defendant") in connection with the above-referenced action. We write jointly with counsel for Plaintiff Arturo Stevez ("Plaintiff") to inform the Court that the parties have reached an agreement in principle to resolve this action. Accordingly, counsel for the parties respectfully request that the Court stay all pending deadlines for a period of 30 days to permit the parties to finalize the terms of their agreement and submit a stipulation of dismissal to the Court.

We thank the Court in advance for its consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

*/s/ Michael F. Fleming*

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cc: All Counsel of Record (via ECF)

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Application GRANTED. All pending deadlines shall be stayed for a period of 30 days to permit the parties to finalize the terms of their agreement and submit a stipulation of dismissal to the Court.

The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate the pending motion at docket number 12.

Dated: November 1, 2021  
New York, New York

SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Katherine Polk Failla".

HON. KATHERINE POLK FAILLA  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE